Texas Education Agency Standard Application System (SAS)

Program authority:	2017–2018 Perkins Reserve Grant Title I, Part A, Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act of 2006, Public Law 109-270, Section 112(a)(1)					F	FOR TEA USE ONL' Write NOGA ID here:		
Grant Period:	November 13, 2017, to August 31, 2018								
Application deadline:							-	Place date stamp here.	
Submittal		entral Time, October 26, 2017				- 2	,		
information:	One original and two copies of the application, printed on one side only and signed by a person authorized to bind the applicant to a contractual agreement, must be received no later than the aforementioned date and time at this address:						EXAS EDUCA 7017 CCT 25		
	Tex	kas Edu	cation Aç Austi	ency, 170 n, TX 7870		ss Ave.	9-10-11-0		
Contact information:	Diane Salaza	r: <u>diane</u>	.salazar(<u> ⊉tea.texas</u>	.gov; (512) 936-	6060		+	
		Sch	edule #1	General	Information		30	7	
Part 1: Applicant Inform	nation			32.55					
Organization name County-D		istrict #				Amendment #			
Miller Grove ISD	112-907				Amendi	HEIR #			
Vendor ID #	ESC Region #								
1751613618	8	8							
Mailing address					City		State	ZIP Code	
7819 FM 275 South				Cumby		TX	75433		
Primary Contact									
First name		M.I.	Last	name		Title			
Emma			Hudson Distr			District S	rict Special Programs		
Telephone #			Email address			FAX #	FAX #		
903-459-3288 Ext 224	ehudson@mgisd.net 903-459)-3744					
Secondary Contact									
irst name		M.I.	Last name Title		Title				
Bary		L	Billingsley Prin			Principa			
elephone#		Email address FAX #							
03-459-3288 Ext 223				ingslev@mgisd.net 903-45			-3744		

I hereby certify that the information contained in this application is, to the best of my knowledge, correct and that the organization named above has authorized me as its representative to obligate this organization in a legally binding contractual agreement. I further certify that any ensuing program and activity will be conducted in accordance with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations, application guidelines and instructions, the general provisions and assurances, debarment and suspension certification, lobbying certification requirements, special provisions and assurances, and the schedules attached as applicable. It is understood by the applicant that this application constitutes an offer and, if accepted by the Agency or renegotiated to acceptance, will form a binding agreement.

Authorized Official:

First name

M.I. Last name

Title

Steve Telephone #

P Johnson Email address

Superintendent

903-459-3288 Ext 222

903-459-3288 Ext

sjohnson@mgisd.net

FAX#

Date signed

Alla (D)

Signature (blue ink preferred)

10-23-2017

Only the legally responsible party may sign this application.

	—General Information
County-district number or vendor ID: 112-907	Amendment # (for amendments only):
Part 3: Schedules Required for New or Amended Ap	plications

An X in the "New" column indicates a required schedule that must be submitted as part of any new application. The applicant must mark the "New" checkbox for each additional schedule submitted to complete the application. For amended applications, the applicant must mark the "Amended" checkbox for each schedule being submitted as part of the amendment.

Schedule	Schedule Name	Applicat	ion Type
#		New	Amended
1	General Information		
2	Required Attachments and Provisions and Assurances		N/A
4	Request for Amendment	N/A	<u> W/C</u>
5	Program Executive Summary		
6	Program Budget Summary		
7	Payroll Costs (6100)	See	
8	Professional and Contracted Services (6200)	Important	
9	Supplies and Materials (6300)	Note For	
10	Other Operating Costs (6400)	Competitive	
11	Capital Outlay (6600)	Grants*	
12	Demographics and Participants to Be Served with Grant Funds		- H
13	Needs Assessment		
14	Management Plan		
15	Project Evaluation		
17	Responses to TEA Requirements		-
18	Equitable Access and Participation		- -

*IMPORTANT NOTE FOR COMPETITIVE GRANTS: Schedules #7, #8, #9, #10 and #11 are required schedules if any dollar amount is entered for the corresponding class/object code on Schedule #6—Program Budget Summary. For example, if any dollar amount is budgeted for class/object code 6100 on Schedule #6—Program Budget Summary, then Schedule #7—Payroll Costs (6100) is required. If it is either blank or missing from the application, the application will be disqualified.

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Schedule #2—Required Attachments and Provisions and Assurances County-district number or vendor ID: 112-907 Part 1: Required Attachments Amendment # (for amendments only):

The following table lists the fiscal-related and program-related documents that are required to be submitted with the application (attached to the back of each copy, as an appendix).

#	Applicant Type	Name of Required Fiscal-Related Attachment
No fi	scal-related attachments are requi	
#	Name of Required Program-Related Attachment	Description of Required Program-Related Attachment
No p	rogram-related attachments are re	quired for this grant.
	2: Acceptance and Compliance	
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By marking an X in each of the boxes below, the authorized official who signs Schedule #1—General Information certifies his or her acceptance of and compliance with all of the following guidelines, provisions, and assurances.

Note that provisions and assurances specific to this program are listed separately, in Part 3 of this schedule, and require a separate certification.

X	Acceptance and Compliance
	I certify my acceptance of and compliance with the General and Fiscal Guidelines.
	I certify my acceptance of and compliance with the program guidelines for this grant
	I certify my acceptance of and compliance with all General Provisions and Assurances requirements
	I certify that I am not debarred or suspended. I also certify my acceptance of and compliance with all Debarment and Suspension Certification requirements.

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	Schedule #2—Required Attachment	s and Provisions and Assurances
Cou	nty-district number or vendor ID: 112-907	Amendment # (for amendments only):
Part	3: Program-Specific Provisions and Assurances	
\boxtimes	I certify my acceptance of and compliance with all progr	am-specific provisions and assurances listed below.
#	Provision	n/Assurance
1.	other purposes merely because of the availability of the	ation rules, and activities previously conducted with state ate or local funds may not be decreased or diverted for se funds. The applicant provides assurance that program a supplementary to existing services and activities and will be supplementary to existing services.
2.	the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)	pes not contain any information that would be protected by from general release to the public
3.	The applicant provides assurances that they will continued the continued of the continued o	e to meet all Statutory Requirements as outlined in their
4.	The applicant assures that its ability is to meet the 20%	match requirement
5.	Applicants applying for Focus Area 1, 2, or 3 provide ass appropriately aligned to marketable skills in the identified recognized credentialing as part of the degree plan.	surance that the curriculum they develop will be high-demand occupations. It may include industry
6.	Applicants applying for Focus Area 1, 2, or 3 provide ass	ernships, externships, and/or apprenticeship, will expose
7.	Applicants applying for Focus Area 1, 2, or 3 provide ass applicants will submit a Memorandum of Understanding partner, the LEA, and business and industry partner(s).	surance that within 90 days of the grant start, awarded

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Schedule #4—Re	quest for Amendment
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Part 1: Submitting an Amendment	Single

This schedule is used to amend a grant application that has been approved by TEA and issued a Notice of Grant Award (NOGA). **Do not submit this schedule with the original grant application**. Refer to the instructions to this schedule for information on what schedules must be submitted with an amendment.

An amendment may be submitted by mail *or* by fax. Do not submit the same amendment by both methods. Amendments submitted via email will not be accepted.

If the amendment is mailed, submit three copies of each schedule pertinent to the amendment to the following address: Document Control Center, Grants Administration Division, Texas Education Agency, 1701 N. Congress Ave., Austin, TX 78701-1494.

If the amendment is faxed, submit one copy of each schedule pertinent to the amendment to either of the following fax numbers: (512) 463-9811 or (512) 463-9564.

The last day to submit an amendment to TEA is listed on the <u>TEA Grant Opportunities</u> page. An amendment is effective on the day TEA receives it in substantially approvable form. All amendments are subject to review and approval by TEA.

Part 2: When an Amendment Is Required

For all grants, regardless of dollar amount, prior written approval is required to make certain changes to the application. Refer to the "When to Amend the Application" guidance posted in the Amendment Submission Guidance section of the Grants Administration Division Administering a Grant page to determine when an amendment is required for this grant. Use that guidance to complete Part 3 and Part 4 of this schedule.

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#	Schedule #	Class/ Object Code	Grand Total from Previously Approved Budget	Amount Deleted	Amount Added	New Grand Total
<u>1. </u>	Schedule #7: Payroll	6100	\$	\$	\$	\$
2.	Schedule #8: Contracted Services	6200	\$	\$	\$	e
3.	Schedule #9: Supplies and Materials	6300	S	\$	<u>e</u>	6
4	Schedule #10: Other Operating Costs	6400	S	\$	<u> </u>	- Φ
5.	Schedule #11: Capital Outlay	6600	\$	\$	Q	Q
<u>6</u> .		otal costs:	\$	\$	\$	\$

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Schedule #4—Request for Amendment (cont.)							
	-district number or v		Amendment # (for amendments only):				
Part 4:	Part 4: Amendment Justification						
Line #	Schedule # Being Amended	Description of Change	Reason for Change				
1.							
2.							
3.							
4.							
5.							
6.							
7.							

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Schedule #5—Program Executive Summary				
County-district number or vendor ID: 112-907	Amendment # (for amendments only):			
Provide a brief overview of the program you plan to deliver. Refer to the ins elements of the summary. Response is limited to space provided, front side	tructions for a description of the requested only, font size no smaller than 10 point Arial.			
Indicate the Focus Area for which you are applying. <i>Only one Focus Area two applications per LEA</i> (see Program Guidelines pages 8 and 11 for mo each of the Focus Areas).	may be selected per application, limit of			
☑ Focus Area 1: Pathway Hubs, Rural Schools				
☐ Focus Area 2: Pathway Hubs, Career Center Partnerships				
☐ Focus Area 3: CTE Career Cluster				
Focus Area 4: Testing Site/Licensed Instructor				
Miller Grove ISD is most definitely located in a rural area. Miller Grove is an has a population of 115 at the last census. Miller Grove ISD is a 1A school of 12th for a total of 328 students. Many of the students live outside of of the undistrict, due to limited housing. Most of the town is farm land, which is the mowever a few other types of occupations, such as Healthcare Providers 5.3 Management/Administrative 9.2%, Construction 7.9%, and Fire Fighter 1.9% Miller Grove area, 30% of the residents 25 and older hold a higher degree a have a high school diploma as compared to 48.04% for Texas. Those with n 18.83% in Texas. Out of the those 30% who hold a higher degree, 67.3% of	with 178 students Pk-5 th and 152 students 6-bicorporated town, but within our school ain occupation of the residents. There are 32%, Repair/Maintenance10.6%, 6. In researching the statistics of those in the s compared to 33.1% for all Texas. 55.4% to high school diploma are 14.5% locally and			

The educational numbers are either a little higher or lower than Texas, but the employment numbers for those who hold a higher degree than high school are lower. Since Miller Grove is a small town and an individual must drive for higher education opportunities or employment it is sometimes difficult to obtain either. Scott Springston of Strategic Educator Collaborators stated that connecting rural communities to higher education and workforce certifications is a necessity for the economic sustainability and expansion for thousands of small communities across America. According to the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) an increasingly educated rural America still lags urban (metropolitan) areas in educational attainment. The educational attainment of people living in rural areas has increased markedly over time, but has not kept pace with urban gains. There is a large and growing gap in college and postgraduate educational attainment between rural and urban areas, even among young adults.

in Texas. 57.1% of those with a high school diploma are employed, as compared to 67.2% in Texas. 67.1% of those in Miller Grove who do not have a high school diploma are employed as compared to 66.95% in Texas. Overall, 51.7% of Miller Grove residents are employed by the labor force and the overall median household income is \$49,500,the Texas

median is \$51,900.(Statisticalatlas-https://statisticalatlas.com).

In deciding what kind of programs to provide to our students there were several factors that were considered. The following were chosen as the foundation for creating this Career and Technical Program. First, the students were surveyed to find out what they want to learn or become certified in. No matter what the occupational trends may be, if it is not what the students are intererested in the program will not survive. Second, Workforce Solutions of Northeast Texas was contacted to find out what occupations are in the greatest demand in our area. For the most part, most occupations are in demand in all areas, but some are more location specific. Third, institutions of higher education, industry partners, business owners, and trained personnel in our area were researched and contacted to gain their opinions or availability to help with the programs that would be implemented if the grant was awarded. Finally, all of the above data was compiled to make an informed decision as to what programs/certifications would be the most appropriate for our students, district, and rural area. In order to meet the needs of more than just a select few students by only offering one or two programs, school officials and community/industry personnel made the decision to offer a handful of certification opportunites that would be the best opportunity for all students interested. This project will provide additional high quality CTE program to Miller Grove rural students and lead to improved employment opportunities and additional postsecondary options for the students. On the next page are the CTE programs that MGISD would like to implement.

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Schedule #5—Program Executive Summary (cont.)

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Amendment # (for amendments only):

Provide a brief overview of the program you plan to deliver. Refer to the instructions for a description of the requested elements of the summary. Response is limited to space provided, front side only, font size no smaller than 10 point Arial.

Health Services

Students will learn skills related to the health care industry such as taking vital signs, body mechanics, medical terminology, CPR and other entry-level skills. Areas of focus will be Nursing. Students will receive instruction from Registered Nurses and will earn certification in CNA and CPCT. They will work towards a Health Services Pathway by taking a Principles class year one, Medical Terminology year two, Health Services Theory in year three and in year four begin the clinical rotations at the local hospitals. Programs such as scrubs camps provide an effective way for community organizations to work together, partner with healthcare facilities and schools, and expose students to careers in rural healthcare. Scrubs camps are for students of elementary through high school age and can last from a single day to a week. Students have the opportunity to meet and interact with a variety of healthcare professionals and engage in healthcare-related activities. These camps increase interest, awareness, and understanding of health careers available in rural areas. Other grow-your-own activities that healthcare facilities provide: Hosting healthcare career fairs, Inviting healthcare workers to schools to speak about their careers, and Providing opportunities for students to shadow healthcare professionals.

Architecture/Construction

A Tradesman program would be implemented to help students graduate with certificates that would allow them to enter the workworld better prepared and educated. It would also elimate the need for them to be trained as beginners by their future employers and therefore could be hired and begin working immediately with the knowledge needed to take to a higher level and gain more skills and pay. The big plan would be for Miller Grove students to create a blueprint a small building to house the program and then build it from the ground up touching on all of the areas needed to complete the entire bulding. Including but not limited to HVAC, Plumbing, Concrete, Construction, and Welding. Skilled tradesmen in each area will be utilized to teach the students providing the opportunity for the best instruction from those specialized in that specific area. Students would enter the architecture/construction pathway for CTE. They would take the principles course in the areas of interest and move towards the more advanced course to move towards certification completion in the area(s) of study they are interested in.

Law and Public Safety

Students will learn about legal, public safety, protection and homeland security services. Areas of focus will be Law Enforcement. Students will be given the chance to gain the knowledge to become a certified in County Jailer, Certified Protection Officer, and a Basic Telecommunications. Students will be instructed by certified police officers who are ether a Chief of Police or serve in the capacity as a Sergeant. Students would enter the Law and Public Safety pathway with a diversified course pathway to best prepare each of the work world and help them earn the available certificate(s) of their choice.

Our world is ever changing and the shift of emphasis is moving towards preparing our students for the "work world". According to the National Center for Educational Statistics (NCES), 69.2% of students who graduated from high school last year attended college in the Fall of 2017. That mean that 30.8% did not attend college and it is our job as educators to prepare them for what lies ahead of them. This seems to be a greater trend in the rural areas than the urban. According the to USDA only 50% of students receive a high degree as compared to 62% in the urban areas. In 2011-15, the average poverty rate for rural counties with low education was about 8 percentage points higher than for all other rural counties, and the average child poverty rate was about 11 percentage points higher. Average unemployment rates among rural low-education counties were also higher compared with all other rural counties in 2011-15 by about 1% Rural areas need assistance to help the students be better prepared for the working world, which in turn, Miller Grove ISD feels will give the knowledge and boost of confidence that they need to obtain a higher education, higher-level certifications, and better paying jobs. It is important that these programs present a level of rigor that will be seen postsecondary.

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	Schedule #	6—Program	Budget Sun	nmary		
County-district	number or vendor ID: 112-907		A	Amendment # (for	amendments of	only):
Program author	ority: Title I, Carl D. Perkins Career a	ind Technical				
	November 13, 2017, to August 31, 2		Fund code:			
Budget Sumn	nary					
Schedule #	Title	Class/ Object Code	Program Cost	Admin Cost	Total Budgeted Cost	Match
Schedule #7	Payroll Costs (6100)	6100	\$13,000	\$0	\$13,000	\$13,000
Schedule #8	Professional and Contracted Services (6200)	6200	\$30,000	\$0	\$30,000	\$0
Schedule #9	Supplies and Materials (6300)	6300	\$47,500	\$0	\$47,500	\$5,000
Schedule #10	Other Operating Costs (6400)	6400	\$5,500	\$0	\$5,500	\$5,500
Schedule #11	Capital Outlay (6600)	6600	\$2,500	\$0	\$2,500	\$0
Grand total of b	oudgeted costs (add all entries in each	ch column):	\$98,500	\$0	\$98,500	\$23,500
	Admini	strative Cos	t Calculation	1		
Enter the total grant amount requested:			\$75,000			
Percentage limit on administrative costs established for the program (5%):				× .05		
Multiply and rou	ind down to the nearest whole dollar mum amount allowable for administ	. Enter the re	esult.	rect costs:	\$3,75	

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Co	unty-dis	trict number or vendor ID: 112-907	Amen	dment # (for a	mendments o	nly):
		Employee Position Title	Estimated # of Positions 100% Grant Funded	Estimated # of Positions <100% Grant Funded	Grant Amount Budgeted	Match
Ac	ademic	Instructional				
13	200				a black of	1.250.0
2	Educa	itional aide			\$	\$
3	Tutor				\$	\$
Pro	gram N	lanagement and Administration				
4	Projec	t director		1	\$5,000	\$5,000
5	Projec	t coordinator			\$	\$
6	Teach	er facilitator			\$	\$
7		er supervisor			\$	\$
8	Secre	tary/administrative assistant			\$	\$
9		entry clerk			\$	\$
10		accountant/bookkeeper		1	\$3,000	\$3,000
<u>11</u>	Evalua	ator/evaluation specialist			\$	\$
Au z	ciliary					
12	Couns	elor			\$	\$
13	Social	worker			\$	\$
14	Comm	unity liaison/parent coordinator			\$	\$
Edι	cation	Service Center (to be completed by ESC on	ly when ESC is the ap	plicant)		
15	e cons					
16					17.75	
17	E. C. C.					
18						
19						
20						
Oth	er Emp	loyee Positions				
21	Title				\$	\$
22	Title				\$	\$
23	Title				\$	\$
24			Subtotal emi	oloyee costs:	\$	\$
	otitute	Extra-Duty Pay, Benefits Costs	30000010111	,		*
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5	6112 6119	Substitute pay			\$ 000	\$ 000
7	6121	Professional staff extra-duty pay Support staff extra-duty pay			\$5,000	\$5,000
8	6140	Employee benefits			\$	\$
9	61XX	Tuition remission (IHEs only)			\$	\$ \$
	JIXX			Ch		
0			substitute, extra-duty, b		\$	\$5,000
11	Grand	I total (Subtotal employee costs plus subtot	tal substitute, extra-du	ity, benefits costs):	\$13,000	\$13,000

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N. C. Barrier	Schedule #8—Professional and Contracted Serv	ices (6200)	Dr. New St
Coun	ty-district number or vendor ID: 112-907	ndenomi di /for auco-duc-t-	only).
provid	E. Specifying an individual vendor in a grant application does not meet the algeria. TEA's approval of such grant applications does not constitute approval.	applicable requirements for a sole-source provider	
	Professional and Contracted Services Requiring Sp	ecific Approval	
	Expense Item Description	Grant Amount Budgeted	Match
6269	Rental or lease of buildings, space in buildings, or land		
	Specify purpose:	\$0	\$0
a.	Subtotal of professional and contracted services (6200) costs requi specific approval:	\$0	\$0
	Professional and Contracted Services	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	·
#	Description of Service and Purpose	Grant Amount Budgeted	Match
1 0	ertified Nursing Instructors	\$10,000	\$
2 C	ertified Law Enforcement Instructors	\$10,000	\$
3 P	rofessional Tradesman Instructors	\$10,000	\$
5		\$	\$
6		\$	\$
7		\$	\$
8		\$	\$
9		\$	\$
10		\$	\$
11		\$	\$
12		\$	\$
13		\$	\$
4		\$	\$
b.	Subtotal of professional and contract of	\$	\$
C.	- and the professional and contracted services:	\$30,000	\$
<u> </u>	specific approval:	\$30,000	\$0
	(Sum of lines a, b, and c) G	rand total \$30,000	\$0

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	Schedule #9—Supplies and Materials (6300)		
County	/-District Number or Vendor ID: 112-907 Amendment number (for	amendments	only):
	Supplies and Materials Requiring Specific Approval		
		Grant Amount Budgeted	Match
6300	Total supplies and materials that do not require specific approval:	\$47,500	\$5,000
	Grand total:	\$42,500	\$5,000

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County	y-District Number or Vendor ID: 112-907	Amendment number (for	r amendments	only):
	Expense Item Description	Grant Amount Budgeted	Match	
6413	Stipends for non-employees other than those included in 6	\$0	\$	
6419	Non-employee costs for conferences. Requires pre-author	\$0	\$	
	Subtotal other operating costs r	equiring specific approval:	\$0	\$
	Remaining 6400—Other operating costs that do no	t require specific approval:	\$5,500	\$5,500
		Grand total:	\$5,500	\$5,500

In-state travel for employees does not require specific approval.

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Col	unty-District Number or Vendor ID: 112-907	Ame	endment numbe	er (for amendme	nts only):
#	Description and Purpose	Quantity	Unit Cost	Grant Amount Budgeted	Match
1	9—Library Books and Media (capitalized and co				
_ •	Y Computing David	N/A	N/A	\$0	\$0
2	X—Computing Devices, capitalized				
3			\$	\$	\$
4			\$	\$	\$
5			\$	\$	\$
6			\$	\$	\$
5 7			\$	\$	\$
<u>'</u> 8			\$	\$	\$
9			\$	\$	\$
0			\$	\$	\$
1			\$	\$	\$
	X—Software, capitalized		\$	\$0	\$0
2	Software for certification courses				
3	Contrare for Certification Courses		\$	\$2,500	0
4			\$	\$	\$
- 5			\$	\$	\$
5			\$	\$	\$
7			\$	\$	\$
 8			\$	\$	\$
	—Equipment, furniture, or vehicles		\$	\$	\$
9	L-quipment, turniture, or venicles				
			\$	\$0	\$0
1			\$	\$	\$
2			\$	\$	\$
3			\$	\$	\$
4			\$	\$	\$
5			\$	\$	\$
3			\$	\$	\$
,			\$	\$	\$
			\$	\$	\$
	—Canital expenditures for additions:		\$	\$	\$
-16	—Capital expenditures for additions, improvem ase their value or useful life (not ordinary repail	ents, or modificati rs and maintenanc	ons to capital	assets that mat	erially
				\$0	\$0
			Grand total:	\$2,500	\$0

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Si	hedu	ıle #1	2De	mogr	aphics	and P	articipa	nts to I	Be Serv	ed with	Grant	Funds	
County-district numb	er or	vendo	or ID: 1	12-90)7				Ame	ndmen	# (for a	amendments only):	
for the population to	be se any d	rved l ata no	by this of spec	grant ifically	programor progra	m. If da sted th	ata is not at is imp	t availa ortant t	ble, ente to under:	r DNA. standin	Use the	ter the data requested e comment section to opulation to be served by int.	
Student Category								Comment					
Economically disadvantaged 195					59.7%								
Limited English proficient (LEP)	27				8.3%						2025 15750 -		
Attendance rate		N.	Α	!	96.4%								
Annual dropout rate (Gr 9-12)		N.	Α	(0%				WEST STATES				
Teacher Category	Tea	cher I	Numb	er '	Feache	r Perc	entage				Comm	nent	
1-5 Years Exp.	9				36%								
6-10 Years Exp.	6-10 Years Exp. 5												
11-20 Years Exp.	8			3	32%								
20+ Years Exp.	3			•	12%								
No degree	0			C	0%								
Bachelor's Degree	25			1	100%								
Master's Degree	4			1	16%								
Doctorate	0)%								
Part 2: Students/Tea school, projected to b	acher e ser	s To I	Be Sei nder th	rved \ ne gra	Nith Gr	ant Fu ram.	ınds. En	ter the	number	of stud	ents in	each grade, by type of	
School Type: 🛛 🖾 P	ublic		Open-E	Enrollm	ent Cha	rter	☐ Priva	ate Non	profit [] Priva	te For P	rofit Public Institution	
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Schedule #13—Needs Assessment

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Part 1: Process Description. A needs assessment is a systematic process for identifying and prioritizing needs, with "need" defined as the difference between current achievement and desired outcome or required accomplishment. Describe your needs assessment process, including a description of how needs are prioritized. If this application is for a district level grant that will only serve specific campuses, list the name of the campus(es) to be served and why they were selected. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

We are a small rural school and focus for this grant needs to be placed predominately on the 9-12th grade (Miller Grove High School); however, the younger students (Miller Grove Elementary) also need to be included. The younger students will learn about the programs that will be availiable when they reach high school. These programs/certificates can only be obtained by high school students, but if the younger students can be presented with information about each of the programs, then they will have knowledge about the programs and time to make an informed decision about each.

"Need" refers to the gap or discrepancy between a present state (what is) and a desired state (what should be). The need is neither the present nor the future state; it is the gap between them.

Miller Grove School realized there was a need for additional programs when the high school principal did his own assessment of our school course offerrings compared to the all the other high schools in our county. For college core classes we were in line with all the other schools. However, we were way behind in the Career and Technical certificates and courses as compared to the other schools in our county. It was then that the principal decided to talk to the school board about the deficit and begin the process to hopefuly remedy this problem. Even though we are a small rural school, it is important that our students be afforded the same opportunities as other students in the surrounding schools.

In order to provide the "best practice" programs and see exactly where the needs are located, a comprehensive needs assessment was conducted. Our comprehensive needs assessment focused on the ends to be attained. A plan must have a goal that it can strive to reach and it must be measurable. Community members, business leaders, industries, teachers, parents, and students were given either a written, verbal or online survey to assess their needs and or interests into future professions/skills. Data was then gathered by means of established procedures and methods designed for specific purposes. Based on the research findings from the comprehensive needs assessment priorities were set and criteria was determined so that effective programing decisions could be made.

Each targeted group revealed basically the same needs with just a little different variation as to why the need was a high priority. However, there were a few professions that parents and students had interests in that the industry and business leaders did not allude to a need. The needs were prioritized at three levels. First, the professions/skills that were a common factor for all or most of those completing the needs assessment. Second, the profession/skills that were attainable and the most cost effective for the programing purposes. Third, those professions/skills that has some interest by the students and parents but not classified as the highest need in the business world. Even though the choices may not be "hot professions" we must still not loose sight of the fact that we are here for the students and if we can help promote their interests as well as effective for others then we must do so. After completing the comprehensive needs assessment it was established that there were three main Career and Technical areas of need with the highest priority given to the Health Science cluster. Miller Grove ISD feels that the shortage of health professionals in rural America can at least partially be addressed through educational programs. To produce students who are likely to practice in rural areas, schools must consider factors that are good indicators of future rural practice. The second cluster will be the Arcitechture and Construction with a high need in labor skills and certification such as: HVAC, Electrical, Welding, and Plumbing. The third cluster will be Law and Public Safety. Rural Information Hub states that one of the best ways to help with this ever growing problem is to "Grow-your-own programs" Growing our own program will allow a focus on encouraging individuals to consider choosing careers, cultivating their interest, and helping them develop skills that they can use professionally in their home communities. This approach recognizes and builds on the idea that professionals are more likely to consider serving in the community in which they were raised. It does not provide workers who will enter the labor force immediately. Instead, it is a long-term strategy that moves people into the health workforce pipeline and enables rural communities to more effectively address their future workforce needs.

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Table 1	Schedule #13Needs Assessment (cont.)							
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1 12	Part 2: Alignment with Grant Goals and Objectives. List your top three to five needs, in rank order of assigned priority. Describe how those needs would be effectively addressed by implementation of this grant program. Response is mitted to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.							
#	1,000	How Implemented Grant Program Would Address						
1.	them for their future not just focus on those attending academic colleges, but rather all student's future plans.	With the help of the Perkins Reserve Grant Funds, Miller Grove ISD will offer three Career and Technical Cluster programs to all high students with the plans of graduating with a skills/knowledge and certificate in a particular area, such as: Nursing, Police, Tradesman-Electrical, HVAC, Plumbing, Construction, etc						
2.	Student and parent interest at MGISD in nursing was extremely high especially since many of them know that the need is so great in the work world. The existing nursing deficit in the U.S.largely caused by the aging baby boomer population, increasing prevalence of chronic disease, an aging workforce and limited capacity in nursing education programs. It is one of the fastest-growing occupations in the country, but demand for nurses is outpacing the supply. According to Bureau of Labor Statistics projections, by 2022 there will be more than 1 million jobs for RNs.	Programs such as "scrubs camps", Patient Care Tech (PCT) and Certified Nurses Aid (CNA) as a start. Then, MGISD would move towards working with local community college to create a CTE pathway for nursing beginning in the 9th grade and moving forward to certificates by the time they graduate high school.						
3.	Tradesman-This was not only a huge need in the community/business area but also a significant interest for many of Miller Grove students and parents. Since we are a farming community manual labor jobs were a high level of interest. Students want to perform these jobs but be able to be better prepared, skilled and licenced to better provide for their families and the employers.	A Tradesman type of program would be implemented to help students graduate with skilled certificates to be able to enter the workworld better prepared and educated.						
4.	Some of our students showed interest in the law and public safety field which we do not currently have ANY classes towards these fields. Numerous police departments around the country are desperately losing manpower with decreasing numbers of officers and recruits. Law enforcement is becoming less of a desirable career choice due to diminishing pay, high risk, and of course a recent bad rap. Departments are struggling to find not only interested, but interested and qualified, candidates to join the force.	Miller Grove ISD will offer students courses in the field of law and public safety. Student will work towards county jailer, protection officer, basic telecommunication certifications.						
5.	The need for more relevant competency-based programs. The education-employment gap means educators need to think creatively about how to offer the training students need for a workforce that desperately needs them.	Miller Grove ISD will work dilliengently to prepare all students for their future by investing in their future through diversified programs to meet their diversified needs. Not all students are going to college and MG ISD will be apart of the cultural rebuild by offering job-oriented courses as mentioned above.						

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Schedule #14—Management Plan County-district number or vendor ID: 112-907 Amendment # (for amendments only):

Part 1: Staff Qualifications. List the titles of the primary project personnel and any external consultants projected to be involved in the implementation and delivery of the program, along with desired qualifications, experience, and any requested certifications. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

#	Title	Desired Qualifications, Experience, Certifications
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1.	District Special Program Coordinator	Bachelor of Professional Accountancy, Master of Science in Education, Business 6-12th, and Principal Certification. Texas 21st Century grant writer, and Project Director for 21st Century Cyle 6 and 8. 18 years in education-Specific to person currently holding title
2.	High School Principal	Bachelor of Science, Master of Education, 6-12th History, PE EC-12th, Principal, and Superintendent Certification. 15 years in educationSpecific to person currently holding title
3.	Skilled Tradesman	Each of the different areas of Trades being taught will have different levels of qualifications and experience. They will be skilled in the area of expertise to teach this skill to the Miller Grove Students.
4.	Law Enforcement Instructor	Sergeant or Chief of Police for over 5 years
5.	Registered nurse	RN certification. BSN if availble

Part 2: Milestones and Timeline. Summarize the major objectives of the planned project, along with defined milestones and projected timelines. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

#	Objective		Milestone	Begin Activity	End Activity
	Provide more CTE	1.	Begin working on a plan to implement new courses	08/21/2017	On-going
	certifications and	2.	Hire certified instructors/Recruitment of students	12/1/2017	On-going (AN)
1.	courses with job	3.	All necessary equipment provided for each course	12/1/2017	On-going
	focus	4.	Positive evaluation of the program's effectiveness	08/21/2017	On-going
	10003	5.	Attend a career fair each year for the students	02/01/2018	1 or 2 times Yr
		1.	Contract with healthcare facilities to provide camps	12/1/2017	On-going (AN)
ļ	Begin Scrub	2.	Conduct Healthcare Fair for students	02/15/2018	1 or 2 times Yr
2.	Camps	3.	Provide CPR Training for all students	01/15/2018	Once a Year
	Camps	4.	Evaluate the programs effectiveness	01/01/2018	On-going
		5.	Positive Student/Community Feedback	01/01/2018	On-going
	Provide opportunity	1.	Hire certified instructors/Recruitment of students	12/01/2017	On-going (AN)
		2.	All necessary equipment provided for courses	12/01/2017	On-going
3.	for Nursing	3.	Begin the 4 year pathway towards the nursing prog	12/01/2017	On-going
i	certifications	4.	Certificate Completion	05/25/2018	Sem&Year End
		5.	Observe the students participation at the hospitals	05/25/2018	On-going
	Provide apportunity	1.	Hire certified instructors/Recruitment of students	12/1/2017	On-going (AN)
	Provide opportunity for Tradesman Certifications for	2.	All necessary equipment provided for the course	12/1/2017	On-going
4.		3.	Certificate Completion	05/25/2018	Sem&Year End
	students	4.	Positive Student Project Evaluations	05/25/2018	Sem&Year End
	Students	5.	Positive Student/Community Feedback	05/25/2018	On-going
	Provide ennertunity	1.	Hire certified instructors/Recruitment of students	12/01/2017	On-going (AN)
	Provide opportunity for Law	2.	All necessary equipment provided for courses	12/01/2017	On-going
5.	Enforcement &	3.	Certificate Completion	05/25/2018	Sem&Year End
	Safety Certification	4.	Providing real world experiences for the students	04/01/2018	On-going
	Calcty Certification	5.	Positive Student Feedback	05/25/2018	On-going

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Unless pre-award costs are specifically approved by TEA, grant funds will be used to pay only for activities occurring between the beginning and ending dates of the grant, as specified on the Notice of Grant Award.

Schedule #14—Management Plan (cont.)

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Part 3: Feedback and Continuous Improvement. Describe the process and procedures your organization currently has in place for monitoring the attainment of goals and objectives. Include a description of how the plan for attaining goals and objectives is adjusted when necessary and how changes are communicated to administrative staff, teachers, students, parents, and members of the community. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

The goal setting process is about the discipline in the organization. Miller Grove ISD has to objectively monitor the whole process, and it has to prepare corrections. Everyone must be on the same page when the process begins and everyone must be able to have a voice in the implementation process to ensure buy-in. The SMART goal setting process is a part of the performance management. It has to be well connected with the program appraisal process. The faculty and staff have to see the logic behind both processes. "The goals cannot be disconnected from the appraisal of the program. Designing the efficient process is a requirement. Monitoring goal progress is a crucial process that comes into play between setting and attaining a goal, ensuring that the goals are translated into action," said lead author Benjamin Harkin, PhD, of the University of Sheffield. To monitor the goals and objectives Miller Grove ISD will: 1) Establish Key Performance Indicators, 2) Set up monitoring and measurement systems, 3) Collect and record data, 4) Data analysis, and finally 4) Use information for reporting, improvement and adjustment. But the truth is, that sometimes even with the best intentions the plan does not work. It is important that we adjust as need and are willing to be flexible. Contious monitoring is important to ensure that adjustments can be made when necessary and in a timely manner. Consideration and time must be given to allow the plan to work and if it still needs to be adjusted then wiliness to change the current goal is crucial. All stakeholders will be included in the decision making process as to what changes need to be made based on the data findings. All changes that need to be made will be communicated to all stakeholders electronically and in memo form. If significant changes are made, a meeting will be held for all stakeholders.

Part 4: Sustainability and Commitment. Describe any ongoing, existing efforts that are similar or related to the planned project. How will you coordinate efforts to maximize effectiveness of grant funds? How will you ensure that all project participants remain committed to the project's success? Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

Up to this point, the efforts towards this planned project have been the research and gathering of data. All stakeholders have been surveyed, possible instructors have been verbally contacted to gain insight, and a meeting has taken place with the superintendent to ensure support of the projected plans and funds needed. The district special programs coordinator who has experience running a grant and handling all the financial expenditures will be responsible for this grant also. It is imperative that the programs effectiveness is monitored regularly to ensure it is not only effective for all stakeholders but also cost effective also. Cost effectiveness has already been considered through the elimination of non cost effective programs. Miller Grove ISD wants to meet the needs and interests of all of students; however, cost effectiveness is an important factor for the programming as well. Before beginning the programming Miller Grove ISD will host a meeting to set forth all the expected guidelines and gain signatures from the appropriate parties. By allowing a voice into what programming Miller Grove ISD will offer, this helped gain commitment from the beginning. If stakeholders feel that they are a part of the beginning of something new and exciting, then they are more likely to be committed.

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Schedule #15—Project Evaluation

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Part 1: Evaluation Design. List the methods and processes you will use on an ongoing basis to examine the effectiveness of project strategies, including the indicators of program accomplishment that are associated with each. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

#	Evaluation Method/Process	Associated Indicator of Accomplishment	
	Implementation Analysis	1.	Competent and Effective Processes
1.		2.	Appropriate purchase and use of materials/supplies
		3.	Appopriate contextual influences
	Content/Program Analysis	1.	Clarity and comprehensiveness with engagement
2.		2.	Effective timelines with support for diversity
		3.	Resources and staff development
	Comparative Analysis	1.	Appropriate use of analysis
3.		2.	Approriate selection of disaggratation of outcome measures
	<u> </u>	3.	Statistical tests
	Student Outcomes	1.	Muliple assessments
4.		2.	Enrollment patterns
		3.	Attitudes
	Report Preparation	1.	Prepare detailed reports
5.		2.	Ensure evaluators independence
		3.	Sythesis and evaluation of evidence

Part 2: Data Collection and Problem Correction. Describe the processes for collecting data that are included in the evaluation design, including program-level data such as program activities and the number of participants served, and student-level academic data, including achievement results and attendance data. How are problems with project delivery to be identified and corrected throughout the project? Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

Since these programs will be most likely all held during the school day, attendance will be taken in each course just like it is with all other courses. Grades will also be submitted at the 3, 6 and 9 week marking period. Walk-throughs, observations, and evaluations will also be conducted for each of the courses and different instructors. These are the norm practices for all courses taught at Miller Grove ISD. The Principal and Special Programs Coordinator will both conduct the evaluations of the programs and instructors. All findings will be electronically and will be communicated with the instructors on an as-needed basis. Attendance and grades will be observed at the 3, 6, and 9 week grading period to ensure on-going monitoring is taking place. Students and instructors will receive a survey each 6 weeks to allow them to voice any concerns or positive feedback they may want to give. Being visible in the classroom is the best way to know how the program is running and how effective it is. Each 6 weeks the principal, director of special programs and the instructors will meet to assess the program and address any problems that are occurring or could be forseen in the near future. From this meeting adjustment will be made to programs. Any problems that arise will be handled immediately to ensure the program's effectiveness. The school will receive a report from the principal at the end of each 9 week period. If any of the classes take place outside of the school day, the instructor will have the students sign in each class time. The instructors will also be required to keep track of student's performance. On the first occurance, any instructor not performing to the necessary level will be counseled with and provided assistance/guidance on how to correct the problem. For the second occurance they will be written up, and on the third occurance they will be removed. It is a fast past course curriculum that must adhere to the "work world" environment; therefore, chances must be given and guidance must take place. However, if unable to correct the problem, much like the "work world", they shall be removed. Just like the program is an on-going process, so must the data collection, and evaluation process.

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TEA Program Requirement 1: Explain how the project identified the high-demand occupations and their related programs of study in partnership with the local workforce development board. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

Applicants applying for Focus Areas 1, 2, or 3 must address this question.

In order to create a plan that not only was effective for the needs/interests of the Miller Grove students but also for the demands of the job force, Miller Grove had to first gain all the stakeholders input. All stakeholders were surveyed to find out what programs were high priority to both the Miller Grove students and the workforce. The Workforce Solutions of Northeast Texas was contacted to gain even more insight into the demand for occupations. TEA also provided a link to the occupational trend in Texas. All of the above, along with cost effectiveness, was researched before a decision was made on what programs to offer. There was need in the workforce for jobs in technology but there was no interest at our school for that area. Miller Grove believes that this is because again, most of our community is employed in farming and manual labor industries. Also, many of our students interested in technology are already taking the technology dual-credit courses that Miller Grove is able to provide for them. Miller Grove's main focus is on the manual labor/skills side of the work force need. The medical field has a huge demand in the workforce, as well as with the students interests. Miller Grove decided to target this field first as it was a high need for both parties. The second area of high need was for the skilled laborers. Law enforcement was not a high ranking need know but the Workforce Solutions of Northeast Texas did say that they believed that it would be real soon in light of all the issues and media coverage they have been experiencing.

It is very important that Miller Grove move forward with the programs that are in high demand at the current time. As time progesses, Miller Grove ISD will need to assess the program effectiveness and also keep a keen eye on the labor workforce and adjust programs accordingly. The three programs that were chosen have been in high demand for quite a while, and the workforce did not foresee any changes in the near furture. Another area that we may look at at a later time is education. The workforce stated that education was also becoming a high demanding job, but there was not any student interest at this time. From those findings, Miller Grove decided that it would be a good idea to start talking to the student about careers in education in hopes to peak their interests.

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TEA Program Requirement 2: Describe how you will design at least one program of study that spans secondary and postsecondary education and includes an appropriate sequence of courses that are aligned with high-demand occupations identified by local regional workforce board. The program of study should build in rigor as students progress through high school. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point. **Applicants applying for Focus Areas 1, 2, or 3 must address this question.**

The purpose of our 3 programs of study is to span from secondary to postsecondary education. Miller Grove ISD feels that this is one part of the importance of this grant. Students must be given the opportunity to learn a skill and possible certification towards a future employment and further certifications. The program of study one best describes a sequence of courses and progressive rigor.

Program of Study 1-Health Science-

Students will receive instruction from Registered Nurses and will earn certification in CNA and PCT. They will work towards a Health Services Pathway by taking a Principles class year one, Medical Terminology year two, Health Services Theory in year three and in year four begin the clinical rotations at the local hospitals.

Architecture/Construction

A Tradesman type of program would be implemented to help students graduate with skilled certificates to be able to enter the workworld better prepared and educated. It would also elimate the need for them to be trained to a beginner level by their future employers and therefore could be hired and begin working immediately with the knowledge needed to take to a higher level and gain more skills and pay. Students would begin with entry level certications and move towards the higher level certification in each field.

Law and Public Safety

Students will learn about legal, public safety, protective and homeland security services. Areas of focus will be Law Enforcement. Student will be given the chance to gain the knowledge to be certified in County Jail, Protection Officer, and basic telecommunications. Students can take this knowledge and certifications and move towards actually becoming police officers.

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TEA Program Requirement 3: Provide a sample crosswalk that identifies postsecondary coursework that would be required of a student in the program of study in order to complete a certificate or receive an associate's degree from the partnering general academic teaching institution(s) within two to three years of graduating from high school. The crosswalk may also demonstrate how the project can lead to a bachelor's degree. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

Applicants applying for Focus Areas 1, 2, or 3 must address this question.

Sample Crosswalk for Health Science Course

Year 1- Principles of Health Science-The Principles of Health Science course is designed to provide an overview of the therapeutic, diagnostic, health informatics, support services, and biotechnology research and development systems of the health care industry.

Year 2- Medical Terminolgy-The Medical Terminology course is designed to introduce students to the structure of medical terms, including prefixes, suffixes, word roots, singular and plural forms, and medical abbreviations. The course allows students to achieve comprehension of medical vocabulary appropriate to medical procedures, human anatomy and physiology, and pathophysiology.

Year 3-Health Science Theory- The Health Science Theory course is designed to provide for the development of advanced knowledge and skills related to a wide variety of health careers. Students will employ hands-on experiences for continued knowledge and skill development.

Year 4-Health Science clinical-The Health Science Clinical course is designed to provide for the development of advanced knowledge and skills related to a wide variety of health careers. Students will employ hands-on experiences for continued knowledge and skill development. Districts are encouraged to offer this course in a consecutive block with Health Science Theory to allow students sufficient time to master the content of both courses Students can also take more than one course the first two years allowing them to also take Health Science Praticum. Students will receive the certifications of either CAN and/or CPTC. These courses will be paired with the dual credit college core course to prepare them for a four year degree.

Year 5-Upon graduation, students can enter into community college/university or apply for nursing school and begin the LVN program. Students can also use their certifications and work, making more than minimum wage, while attending school.

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TEA Program Requirement 4: Identify the partner organizations that will help carry out the grant. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point. Applicants applying for Focus Areas 1, 2, or 3 must address this question.

The partner organizations that will help carry out the grant will be the

- Sulphur Springs Police Department
- Lake Tawokoni Police Department
- Potts Concrete
- JW Burnette Architecture
- Rudy Refridgeration
- Christus Trinity Mother Frances Hospital

A board will be created with all of the above organizations having representatives as well as those listed in the below question.

TEA Program Requirement 5: Identify at least one industry partner that will assist with curriculum development to support relevant and frequent industry experiences for students participating in the program. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point. **Applicants applying for Focus Areas 1, 2, or 3 must address this question.**

In order to have effective programs, there will need to be several industry partners that will need to be a part of the curriculum development. Some of them are: Workforce Solutions of Northeast Texas, Paris Junior College, Hopkins County Police, Sulphur Springs Police Department, Lake Tawokoni Police Department, JW Burnette Architecture, Rudy Refridgeration and Christus Trinity Mother Frances Hospital. Since Miller Grove is not the expert in these areas of study it will utilize all partner resources and knowledge, and each course Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) to prepare the best curriculum.

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Schedule #17—Responses to TEA Program Requirements	
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TEA Program Requirement 6: Propose a sustainability plan to ensure that the school(s) will continue to meet the goals of the grant program after the end of the grant program. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point. Applicants applying for Focus Areas 1, 2, or 3 must address this question.	
Miller Grove is working on implementing a plan to allot funds for these programs during the grant cycle and after. MGISD is not sure how much assistance can be provided if grant funds are no longer availables. It is going to be important to get the word out to the community and business industries to see if any of them are willing to help provide funds, assistance, or to volunteer for the programs. During the grant cycle it is imperative that MGISD promote the programs and get it out in the public eye as much as possible. There must be community and business buy-in to help sustain the programs	

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TEA Program Requirement 7: List capstone industry certifications and programs of study that were identified in partnership with postsecondary, industry, or other LEAs. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

Applicants applying for Focus Area 4 must address this question.

Program of Study 1-Health Science-

Students will receive instruction from Registered Nurses and will earn certification as CAN's and CPCT's. They will work towards a Health Services Pathway by taking a Principles class year one, Medical Terminology year two, Health Services Theory in year three, and in year four begin the clinical rotations at the local hospitals.

Architecture/Construction

A Tradesman type of program would be implemented to help students graduate with skilled certificates to be able to enter the workworld better prepared and educated. It would also elimate the need for them to be trained to a beginner level by their future employers and therefore could be hired and begin working immediately with the knowledge needed to achieve a higher level skills and gain more skills and pay. Students would begin with entry level certications and move towards the higher level certification in each field.

Law and Public Safety

Students will learn about law issues, public safety, protective and homeland security services. Areas of focus will be Law Enforcement. Student will be given the chance to gain the knowledge to be certified County Jailer, Certified Protection Officer, and Basic Telecommunications. Students can take this knowledge and certifications and move towards actually becoming police officers.

- OSHA-10
- AWS-D1-1
- County Jailer
- Certified Protection Officer
- Basic Telecommunications
- Certified Nurses Assistant (CAN)
- Certified Patient Care Tech (CPCT)
- Possible Basic carpentry, HVAC, and plumbing

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TEA Program Requirement 8: Explain how the awarding of a Perkins Reserve Grant will complement the existing CTE program. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point. **Applicants applying for Focus Area 4 must address this question.**

This grant would give the Miller Grove students the same opportunities afforded to the students in a several miles radius of their school. It would allow them to learn the skills to better prepare them for their future. Miller Grove ISD has been lucky enough to help many student take dual-credit and concurrent college course. Some students pay for the courses themselves, and to help offset the costs to the students the school budgets a small fund each year, and the faculty and staff donate to a scholarship fund to help those students pay for the courses. The faculty and staff understand the importance of both the college course and the workforce course; however the faculty and staff can not donate near enough money to help fund a program such as this.

Having these programs will compliment Miller Grove ISD's current CTE program by leaps and bounds. These programs will acquaint students with its ties to mathematics and the sciences. It could point toward possibilities in the arts, which arise in one degree or another from craftsmanship. Through discussions of its materials – wood, metal, rubber, and plastic it could point toward history classes, and through the materials those classes could draw the student into study of the Industrial Revolution, colonialism, conquest of native peoples, systems of government, and on and on. The skilled trades have done an about face in public education by being important and then undervalued and now back to being important again in the education of American students. The funny thing is that they have never been undervalued in the marketplace, which has seen a greater and greater demand for the skilled craftsman, be he a carpenter, electrician, machinist, mechanic, and so on. On account of being in demand, the skilled tradesman has a choice of jobs, autonomy, and earns a living wage; perks that are not to be scoffed at in this economic environment. These programs are going to allow our CTE programs to not only provide an opportunity to learn a skill/trade, they are also going to allow them the opportunities for advancement within their field once they graduate high school.

In addition to the skills/trades the students will learn in these new programs, Miller Grove CTE students will learn to be ready to meet specific employer needs. "Too often, high school students do not demonstrate workplace habits that employers prioritize, including reliability, punctuality, customer service and high-quality task completion," said Andrew Rothstein, Chief Academic Officer of the National Academy Foundation (www.naf.org). "There are also frequent issues with written and presentation skills that are appropriate in a business context. Teamwork and problem solving are the new constants." Teamwork is a very important—and often absent—skill among students entering the workforce. "Students need to learn how to work well with others—cooperative learning, working in groups. Students need to be able to think out of the box and be creative. They need to find different ways to offer solutions," said Marilyn Curtain-Phillips, a high school math teacher and college professor. With the new programs and the current programs, MGISD students would be getting the "entire package" to prepare them.

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No B	arriers				
#	No Barriers	Students	Teachers	Others	
000	The applicant assures that no barriers exist to equitable access and participation for any groups				
Barrie	er: Gender-Specific Bias				
#	Strategies for Gender-Specific Bias	Students	Teachers	Others	
A01	Expand opportunities for historically underrepresented groups to fully participate				
A02	Provide staff development on eliminating gender bias				
A03	Ensure strategies and materials used with students do not promote gender bias				
A04	Develop and implement a plan to eliminate existing discrimination and the effects of past discrimination on the basis of gender				
A05	Ensure compliance with the requirements in Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of gender				
A06	Ensure students and parents are fully informed of their rights and responsibilities with regard to participation in the program			Ø	
A99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	r: Cultural, Linguistic, or Economic Diversity		•		
#	Strategies for Cultural, Linguistic, or Economic Diversity	Students	Teachers	Others	
B01	Provide program information/materials in home language			\boxtimes	
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B02	Provide interpreter/translator at program activities			\boxtimes	
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B03 B04 B05 B06 B07 B08	Increase awareness and appreciation of cultural and linguistic diversity through a variety of activities, publications, etc. Communicate to students, teachers, and other program beneficiaries an appreciation of students' and families' linguistic and cultural backgrounds Develop/maintain community involvement/participation in program activities Provide staff development on effective teaching strategies for diverse populations Ensure staff development is sensitive to cultural and linguistic differences and communicates an appreciation for diversity Seek technical assistance from education service center, technical assistance center, Title I, Part A school support team, or other provider				
B03 B04 B05 B06 B07 B08 B09	Increase awareness and appreciation of cultural and linguistic diversity through a variety of activities, publications, etc. Communicate to students, teachers, and other program beneficiaries an appreciation of students' and families' linguistic and cultural backgrounds Develop/maintain community involvement/participation in program activities Provide staff development on effective teaching strategies for diverse populations Ensure staff development is sensitive to cultural and linguistic differences and communicates an appreciation for diversity Seek technical assistance from education service center, technical assistance center, Title I, Part A school support team, or other provider Provide parenting training				

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	Barrier: Cultural, Linguistic, or Economic Diversity (cont.)				
#	Strategies for Cultural, Linguistic, or Economic Diversity	Students	Teachers	Others	
B12	Offer "flexible" opportunities for parent involvement including home learning activities and other activities that don't require parents to come to the school				
B13	Provide child care for parents participating in school activities				
B14	Acknowledge and include family members' diverse skills, talents, and knowledge in school activities				
B15	Provide adult education, including high school equivalency (HSE) and/or ESL classes, or family literacy program				
B16	Offer computer literacy courses for parents and other program beneficiaries				
B17	Conduct an outreach program for traditionally "hard to reach" parents				
B18	Coordinate with community centers/programs				
B19	Seek collaboration/assistance from business, industry, or institutions of higher education				
B20	Develop and implement a plan to eliminate existing discrimination and the effects of past discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, and color				
B21	Ensure compliance with the requirements in Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, and color				
B22	Ensure students, teachers, and other program beneficiaries are informed of their rights and responsibilities with regard to participation in the program				
B23	Provide mediation training on a regular basis to assist in resolving disputes and complaints				
B99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	r: Gang-Related Activities				
#	Strategies for Gang-Related Activities	Students	Teachers	Others	
C01	Provide early intervention				
C02	Provide counseling				
C03	Conduct home visits by staff				
C04	Provide flexibility in scheduling activities				
C05	Recruit volunteers to assist in promoting gang-free communities				
C06	Provide mentor program				
C07	Provide before/after school recreational, instructional, cultural, or artistic programs/activities				

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	er: Gang-Related Activities (cont.)				
#	Strategies for Gang-Related Activ	ities	Students	Teachers	Others
C08	Provide community service programs/activities				
C09	Conduct parent/teacher conferences				
C10	Strengthen school/parent compacts				
C11	Establish collaborations with law enforcement agenci	es			
C12	Provide conflict resolution/peer mediation strategies/p				
C13	Seek collaboration/assistance from business, industry higher education				
C14	Provide training/information to teachers, school staff, with gang-related issues	and parents to deal			
C99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	er: Drug-Related Activities				
#	Strategies for Drug-Related Activi	ties	Students	Teachers	Others
D01	Provide early identification/intervention				
D02	Provide counseling				
D03	Conduct home visits by staff				
D04	Recruit volunteers to assist in promoting drug-free sch communities	hools and			
D05	Provide mentor program				
D06	Provide before/after school recreational, instructional, programs/activities	cultural, or artistic			
D07	Provide community service programs/activities				
D08	Provide comprehensive health education programs				
D09	Conduct parent/teacher conferences				
D10	Establish school/parent compacts				$\overline{}$
D11	Develop/maintain community collaborations				
D12	Provide conflict resolution/peer mediation strategies/pi	rograms			
D13	Seek collaboration/assistance from business, industry higher education	, or institutions of			
D14	Provide training/information to teachers, school staff, a with drug-related issues	and parents to deal			
D99	Other (specify)	-			
Barrier	: Visual Impairments				
#	Strategies for Visual Impairments	-	Students	Teachers	Others
E01	Provide early identification and intervention				
E02	Provide program materials/information in Braille				
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Barrie	Barrier: Visual Impairments				
#	Strategies for Visual Impairments	Students	Teachers	Others	
E03	Provide program materials/information in large type				
E04	Provide program materials/information in digital/audio formats				
E05	Provide staff development on effective teaching strategies for visual impairment				
E06	Provide training for parents				
E07	Format materials/information published on the internet for ADA accessibility				
E99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	r: Hearing Impairments			· <u>-</u>	
#	Strategies for Hearing Impairments				
F01	Provide early identification and intervention				
F02	Provide interpreters at program activities				
F03	Provide captioned video material				
F04	Provide program materials and information in visual format				
F05	Use communication technology, such as TDD/relay				
F06	Provide staff development on effective teaching strategies for hearing impairment				
F07	Provide training for parents				
F99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	r: Learning Disabilities				
#	Strategies for Learning Disabilities	Students	Teachers	Others	
G01	Provide early identification and intervention	\boxtimes			
G02	Expand tutorial/mentor programs				
G03	Provide staff development in identification practices and effective teaching strategies				
G04	Provide training for parents in early identification and intervention				
G99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	: Other Physical Disabilities or Constraints		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
#	Strategies for Other Physical Disabilities or Constraints	Students	Teachers	Others	
H01	Develop and implement a plan to achieve full participation by students with other physical disabilities or constraints				
H02	Provide staff development on effective teaching strategies				
H03	Provide training for parents				
H99	Other (specify)				
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Barrie	er: Inaccessible Physical Structures				
#	Strategies for Inaccessible Physical Structures		Teachers	Others	
J01	Develop and implement a plan to achieve full participation by students with other physical disabilities/constraints				
J02	Ensure all physical structures are accessible				
J99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	r: Absenteeism/Truancy		•		
#	Strategies for Absenteeism/Truancy	Students	Teachers	Others	
K01	Provide early identification/intervention				
K02	Develop and implement a truancy intervention plan				
K03	Conduct home visits by staff				
K04	Recruit volunteers to assist in promoting school attendance				
K05	Provide mentor program				
K06	Provide before/after school recreational or educational activities				
K07	Conduct parent/teacher conferences				
K08	Strengthen school/parent compacts				
K09	Develop/maintain community collaborations				
K10	Coordinate with health and social services agencies				
K11	Coordinate with the juvenile justice system				
K12	Seek collaboration/assistance from business, industry, or institutions of higher education				
K99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	r: High Mobility Rates				
#	Strategies for High Mobility Rates	Students	Teachers	Others	
L01	Coordinate with social services agencies				
L02	Establish collaborations with parents of highly mobile families				
L03	Establish/maintain timely record transfer system				
L99	Other (specify)				
Barrier	: Lack of Support from Parents				
#	Strategies for Lack of Support from Parents	Students	Teachers	Others	
M01	Develop and implement a plan to increase support from parents				
M02	Conduct home visits by staff				

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_	er: Lack of Support from Parents (cont.)				
#	Strategies for Lack of Support from Parents	Students	Teachers	Others	
M03	Recruit volunteers to actively participate in school activities				
M04	Conduct parent/teacher conferences				
M05	Establish school/parent compacts				
M06	Provide parenting training				
M07	Provide a parent/family center				
M08	Provide program materials/information in home language				
M09	Involve parents from a variety of backgrounds in school decision making				
M10	Offer "flexible" opportunities for involvement, including home learning activities and other activities that don't require coming to school				
M11	Provide child care for parents participating in school activities				
M12	Acknowledge and include family members' diverse skills, talents, and knowledge in school activities				
M13	Provide adult education, including HSE and/or ESL classes, or family literacy program				
M14	Conduct an outreach program for traditionally "hard to reach" parents				
M15	Facilitate school health advisory councils four times a year				
M99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	r: Shortage of Qualified Personnel				
#	Strategies for Shortage of Qualified Personnel	Students	Teachers	Others	
N01	Develop and implement a plan to recruit and retain qualified personnel				
N02	Recruit and retain personnel from a variety of racial, ethnic, and language minority groups				
N03	Provide mentor program for new personnel				
N04	Provide intern program for new personnel				
N05	Provide an induction program for new personnel				
N06	Provide professional development in a variety of formats for personnel				
N07	Collaborate with colleges/universities with teacher preparation programs				
N99	Other (specify)				
Barrier	: Lack of Knowledge Regarding Program Benefits	,			
#	Strategies for Lack of Knowledge Regarding Program Benefits	Students	Teachers	Others	
P01	Develop and implement a plan to inform program beneficiaries of program activities and benefits				
P02	Publish newsletter/brochures to inform program beneficiaries of activities and benefits				

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_	Barrier: Lack of Knowledge Regarding Program Benefits (cont.)				
#	Strategies for Lack of Knowledge Regarding Program Benefits	Students	Teachers	Others	
P03	Provide announcements to local radio stations, newspapers, and appropriate electronic media about program activities/benefits				
P99	Other (specify)				
Barri	er: Lack of Transportation to Program Activities				
#	Strategies for Lack of Transportation	Students	Teachers	Others	
Q01	Provide transportation for parents and other program beneficiaries to activities				
Q02	Offer "flexible" opportunities for involvement, including home learning activities and other activities that don't require coming to school				
Q03	Conduct program activities in community centers and other neighborhood locations				
Q99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	er: Other Barriers				
#	Strategies for Other Barriers	Students	Teachers	Others	
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